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September 8, 2020

MEMO ENDORSED

Via ECF

JEAME E. JOHNSON

Corporation Counsel

Honorable Katherine H. Parker United States Magistrate Judge United States District Court 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: Washington v. The City of New York, et al.., 19-CV-5395 (PGG) (KHP)

Dear Judge Parker:

I am the Assistant Corporation Counsel assigned to the defense of the City of New York and Reverend Robles in above-referenced action, in which Plaintiff alleges that he has not been permitted to attend religious services.

I am writing to respectfully request a two-day adjournment of the conference currently scheduled for September 9, 2020 at 2 pm. I have just been informed that, on August 20, 2020, Mr. Washington was transferred to the custody of New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision (DOCCS). I apologize for the timing of this letter. Given that Mr. Washington is not in the custody of the New York City Department of Correction (DOC), I am not certain I will be able to arrange for Mr. Washington to be available at 2 pm tomorrow. Should the Court deny this request, I will do my best to arrange for Mr. Washington to be on the phone for the conference.

Respectfully,

/s/

¹ I now see there was an ECF notification of his transfer, which I missed. Though I was on vacation last week, I should have seen the notification, and I apologize.

Sharon Sprayregen Assistant Corporation Counsel

cc: Landon L. Washington

NYSID: 01930776N

Ulster Correctional Facility

PO Box 800

Napanoch, NY 12458

The telephonic Status Conference in this matter that is scheduled for Wednesday, September 9, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. is hereby rescheduled to Wednesday, October 21, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.

It is hereby ordered that the Warden of other official in charge of the Ulster Correctional Facility produce Plaintiff Landon L. Washington, DIN No. 20-R-0522 on October 21, 2020 by no later than 2:00 p.m., to a suitable location within the Ulster Facility that is equipped with a telephone, for the purpose of participating by telephone in a conference with the Court and Defendant's counsel. If the scheduled time and date presents a hardship, the Warden or the Warden's designee should promptly inform chambers by calling Courtroom Deputy Chris Aiello at (212) 805-0234.

Defendant's counsel is directed to call Judge Parker's teleconference line at the scheduled time with the Plaintiff already on the phone. <u>Please dial (866) 434-5269</u>, <u>Access code: 4858267</u>.

The Clerk of Court is requested to mail a copy of this order to the Plaintiff and Warden in charge of the Ulster Correctional Facility:

PLAINTIFF: Landon L. Washington DIN#20R0522

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SO ORDERED:

HON. KATHARINE H. PARKER

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

09/09/2020